

December 28, 2001

BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Takashi CHUMAN, Takamasa YOSHIKAWA,  
Takuya HATA, Kazuto SAKEMURA, Takashi YAMADA, Nobuyasu NEGISHI,  
Shingo IWASAKI, Hideo SATOH, Atsushi YOSHIKAWA and  
Kiyohide OGASAWARA  
FLAT PANEL DISPLAY DEVICE  
Assignee: PIONEER CORPORATION  
Our Ref. Q67877

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty-three (33) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and, twelve (12) sheets of drawings. **The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

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|------------------------------|---------|---|--|---|---------|---|------------------|
| Total claims                 | 17 - 20 | = |  | x | \$18.00 | = | \$0.00           |
| Independent claims           | 1 - 3   | = |  | x | \$84.00 | = | \$0.00           |
| Base Fee                     |         |   |  |   |         |   | \$740.00         |
| Multiple Dependent Claim Fee |         |   |  |   |         |   | \$280.00         |
| <b>TOTAL FEE</b>             |         |   |  |   |         |   | <b>\$1020.00</b> |

Priority is claimed from:

| <u>Country</u> | <u>Application No</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
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The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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